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THIRTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM.

Banks.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,500,000
SUBSCRIBED £1,125,000
PAID-UP £668,500

BANKERS:
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—
For 12 Months.....5 per cent.
" 6 ".....4 " "
" 3 ".....3 " "

JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 18th June, 1895. [8]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL £10,000,000
RESERVE FUND £5,000,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS £10,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:
J. KRAMER, Esq.—Chairman.
Hon. A. MACONACHIE, Esq.—Deputy Chairman.
Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving, Esq. S. C. Michaelson, Esq.
G. R. Dailly, Esq. D. R. Sassoon, Esq.
M. D. Eckstein, Esq. N. A. Siebs, Esq.
R. M. Gray, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER:
Hongkong—T. JACKSON, Esq.
Shanghai—H. M. Davis, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.
HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
For 6 months, 4 per cent. per annum.
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 12th June, 1895. [483]

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3 per cent. per annum.

Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 5 per cent. per annum.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 15th April, 1895. [484]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorized Capital £1,000,000
Subscribed Capital £500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:
D. Gillies, Esq. Chow Tung Shang, Esq.
H. Stollerfort, Esq. Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq.
Chan Kih Shan, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER,
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.
Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per cent.
Hongkong, 23rd October, 1895. [7]

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.
HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP £800,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS £800,000
RESERVE FUND £325,000

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNT at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balances.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months.....5 per cent.
" 6 ".....4 " "
" 3 ".....3 " "

T. E. SANSON,
pro. Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 6th June, 1895. [905]

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that from this date W. TSE YAT, otherwise FRANCISCO TSE YAT, has been appointed CHIEF MANAGER of our Firm in HONGKONG and is authorised to use the CROP of, and to sign our FIRM.

WING KEE & Co.,
Coal Merchants.
Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [931]

Masonic.

VICTORIA LODGE
OF HONGKONG, No. 1026.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zealand Street, on MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
Hongkong, 16th July, 1895. [947]

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

MEMBERS are informed that the WEST RACQUET COURT has been REPAIRED and that both COURTS are now OPEN TO MEMBERS of the CLUB.
Towards the end of August or early in September, it is proposed to hold a RACQUET TOURNAMENT, details of which will be made known later on.

EDWARD A. RAM,
Hon. Sec. H.K.C.C.
Hongkong, 13th July, 1895. [947]

Insurances.

TYPHOON INSURANCE.
NOTICE.

HOUSE-OWNERS, TRUSTEES, MORTGAGEES and Others interested in HOUSE PROPERTY are informed that THE COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

are prepared to accept Risks against LOSS or DAMAGE by TYPHOONS at Moderate Rates.

For Particulars, apply to
WM. MACBRAIN,
LOCAL MANAGER, Hongkong Branch,
Cousin's House,
Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, 1st July, 1895. [869]

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned AGENTS of the above Company are prepared to accept First Class FOREIGN and CHINESE RISKS at CURRENT RATES.

SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, 28th May, 1895. [701]

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 500,000 } \$813,333.33
EQUAL TO
RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
LEE SWO, Esq. LO YUK MOON, Esq.
LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER—HO AMEI.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 17th December, 1895. [910]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

CHAU TSEUNG FAT,
Secretary.
HEAD OFFICE,
No. 1, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.
Hongkong, 25th May, 1895. [922]

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND at the rate of FOUR per cent. for the SIX MONTHS ending 30th June, 1895, will be PAYABLE on the 22nd July next, on which date DIVIDEND WARRANTS may be obtained on application at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 5, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED on 20th and 22nd instant.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 8th July, 1895. [901]

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND at the Rate of TWO AND A HALF PER CENT. (ONE DOLLAR AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS per Share) for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1895, will be PAID to those Persons who are registered as SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company, on MONDAY, the 20th July, 1895.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd to the 25th instant, both days inclusive.

By Order,
EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 11th July, 1895. [912]

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE of the COMPANY, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 3rd August, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th instant to 3rd August inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
C. TOMLIN,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [929]

CANTON DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS,
No. 54.

NAVIGATION OF THE CANTON RIVER.

THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES having effected the REMOVAL of the TORPEDOES laid down in the Channel off CHIAU-WEI last year, it is hereby notified that the TORPEDO PILOTS are WITHDRAWN from this Date, and that Masters of Vessels passing that place need not any longer wait for Inspection.

Vessels coming from the South are, however, cautioned against using the Bremer Channel until due notice is issued that it is free from obstructions.

J. H. MAY,
Harbour Master.

Approved:
E. FARAGO,
Commissioner of Customs.
Custom House,
Canton, 15th July, 1895. [930]

Intimations.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED.
28, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.



ASBESTOS PACKINGS of every description.
ASBESTOS SHEETS, MILLBOARDS, CANVAS, &c.
ASBESTOS COMPOSITION for COVERING BOILERS and STEAM PIPES.
CANVAS CORE PACKING (Tuck Form). SPECIAL ENGINE and CYLINDER OILS.
ALL GOODS BEARING TRADE MARK GUARANTEED.
Hongkong, 25th February, 1895. [189]

FOR SALE.

G. H. MUMM & Co's CHAMPAGNE.

In cases of 2 doz. pints.....\$35 per case.
do 1 " quarts.....\$33 "

SHEWAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 13th May, 1895. [634]

MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

1,400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "EXCELSIOR," HONGKONG. TELEPHONE, No. 35.

THE TEMPERATURE IS AT LEAST 10 DEGREES COOLER THAN IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

TIFFIN AT 1 P.M. DINNER AT 8 P.M.
ARRANGEMENTS can be made for TIFFIN or DINNER PARTIES in PRIVATE DINING-ROOMS.

For further Particulars apply to
THE MANAGER,
MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.
Hongkong, 27th June, 1895. [1845]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

HAVE NOW ON HAND IN THE VERY FINEST CONDITION STOCKS OF THE FOLLOWING BRANDS.

TOBACCOS.
CIGARS. CIGARETTES.

WILL'S CAPTAIN NAVY CUT—Full Medium Mild.
PLAYERS' NAVY CUT.
WILL'S THREE CASTLES.
COPE'S BIRD'S EYE.
PIONEER BRAND.
HAPPY THOUGHTS.
PAGODA BRAND.
GOLDEN EAGLE.

COMPANHIA GENERAL CIGARS.
WILL'S THREE CASTLE CIGARETTES.
OGDEN'S GUINOA GOLD
OTTO DE ROSE
YELLOW FLUSH
SWEET CAPORAL

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 4th July, 1895. [6]

"AQUARIUS."

THE CHEAPEST AND BEST TABLE WATER OFFERING IN THE EAST.

SOLE AGENTS:—

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.,
15, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [939]

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

"WARRACK" LINE OF STEAMERS.
FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship
"BRAEMAR,"
Captain Porter, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 20th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 13th July, 1895. [925]

FOR SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship
"DARIUS,"
Captain Curry, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 20th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 13th July, 1895. [926]

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship
"MOGUL,"
Captain Scotland, will be despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [938]

FOR VLADIVOSTOCK, VIA SHANGHAI, CHEFOO AND NAGASAKI.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to KOREAN Ports).

THE Steamship
"GHAFEE,"
Captain D. S. Baller, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 23rd instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.
Hongkong, 16th July, 1895. [945]

FOR KOBE (DIRECT).

THE Steamship
"ORMISTON,"
Captain F. Outram, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 23rd instant, at Noon.

For Freight, apply to
NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.
Hongkong, 16th July, 1895. [946]

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship
"GLENESK,"
Captain Webster, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 23rd instant, instead of as previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 12th July, 1895. [877]

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

THE Company's Steamship
"BULLMOUTH,"
Captain T. G. Scott, will be despatched as above on or about the 23rd instant.

For Freight, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 12th July, 1895. [921]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship
"MERIONETHSHIRE,"
Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 24th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 12th July, 1895. [927]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

THE Steamship
"GLAMORGANSHIRE,"
Captain Vivyan, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 26th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 5th July, 1895. [649]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship
"TELANON,"
Captain Parry, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 24th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [942]

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON, VIA PORTS OF CALL.

THE Company's Steamship
"NINGCHOW,"
E. Warral, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 5th August.

For Freight, apply to
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [943]

SPANISH MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

OWING to quarantine restrictions at Manila the S.S. "BARCELONA" will not call at this Port as previously announced.

The S.S. "CADIZ" expected here about the end of August, will load for SPANISH PORTS and LIVERPOOL.

For Further Particulars, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 23, Stanley Street, VILLA, LOPEZ & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [918]

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship
"CHILYDRA,"
Captain Cass, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 19th instant, at Daylight, instead of as previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 18th July, 1895. [919]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship
"HAI TAN,"
Captain Goddard, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 19th instant, at 10 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 18th July, 1895. [952]

FOR CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.

THE Steamship
"TEIEN,"
Captain Lehmann, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at 5 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 16th July, 1895. [917]

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship
"FIDELIO,"
Captain I. Nissen, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about MONDAY, the 22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
HOPKINS, CUMMING & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 17th July, 1895. [901]

SAILING VESSELS.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A.T. Steel 4 Masted Bark
"ALCEDO,"
Captain R. Cruick, will load here for the above Port, and be despatched on or about the 25th July, a.c.

For Freight, apply to
MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 7th June, 1895. [731]

FOR BALTIMORE.

THE 3/3 A.T. American Ship
"CENTENNIAL,"
Colcord, Master, now loading for the above Port, will be despatched by the 3/3 A.T. American Park.

"FRED. P. LITCHFIELD,"
Young, Master, to load here for the above Port during August/September.

For Freight, apply to
MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 24th June, 1895. [735]

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A.T. British Ship
"LYNDHURST,"
Martin, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 29th May, 1895. [707]

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 100 A.T. British Ship
"BELMONT,"
Ladd, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 17th June, 1895. [794]

Consignees.

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH, LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship
"GLENAYON,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed, their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd instant, will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 29th instant, otherwise they will not be recognised.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 15th July, 1895. [932]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship
"CHILYDRA,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her, are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 P.M. on the 15th instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

Advertisements.

ENGAGEMENT WANTED.

By a YOUNG EUROPEAN LADY as NURSE to EUROPEAN CHILDREN.

Reply to NURSE, c/o Hongkong Telegraph Office, Hongkong, 18th July, 1895.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE "LIVE MOON."

Captain G. H. H. will be despatched for the above Port to MORRIS, the 19th instant, at 4 P.M. Instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Hongkong, 18th July, 1895.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI.

THE Company's Steamship.

"HAILONG."

Captain H. will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 20th instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAFAIR & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, 18th July, 1895.

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA (DIRECT).

THE Company's Steamship.

"ESMERALDA."

Captain G. A. Taylor, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at 5 P.M. This Steamer has Superior Accommodation for Passengers and is fitted with the Electric Light. For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, 18th July, 1895.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship "PERU."

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, 18th July, 1895.

TO LET.

HOUSES Nos. 4, 6 and 13, BELILIOS TERRACE.

ROOM above the CITY CLUB.

OFFICES in "MARINE HOUSE," Queen's Road.

"PRIOR LODGE," Bonham Road.

SMALL TWO-STORY BUILDING at gate of "WEST VILLA," Bonham Road.

GODDONS in DUNDRELL STREET.

No. 17, SHELLEY STREET.

Apply to BELILIOS & Co., Hongkong, 18th July, 1895.

BROWN, JONES & CO.

ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MARBLE AND HONGKONG GRANITE CEMETERY MEMORIALS.

LETTERS CUT AND FILLED WITH IMPERISHABLE LEAD CEMENT.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

DAKIN CRICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

AERATED WATERS.

SIMPLE AERATED WATER.

SODA WATER.

LEMONADE.

GINGER ALE.

SARSAPARILLA.

RASPBERRYADE, &c.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & Co.'s WATERS are made under the constant supervision of a duly qualified English Chemist and will bear comparison with the best English Manufactures.

Special terms to HOTELS, CLUBS, MESSES and other Large Consumers.

Any complaints should be addressed to the Manager.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1895.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

CHEMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS.

OUR AERATED WATER FACTORY is fitted with the best English Machinery, embodying the latest improvements in the trade.

The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness exercised in the manufacture throughout.

The water used is proved by repeated analyses to be absolutely pure.

For COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Expenses when received in good order.

Counterfeit Order Books supplied on application.

Intimations.

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is "DISPENSARY, HONGKONG." And all signed messages, if sent, but will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always kept ready in Stock:—

PURE AERATED WATER

SODA WATER

LEMONADE

POTASH WATER

SELTZER WATER

LITHIA WATER

SARSAPARILLA WATER

GINGER ALE

GINGERADE

No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty or greasy, or that appear to have been used for any other purpose than that of containing Aerial Waters, as such Bottles are never used again by us.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 1st June, 1895.

BIRTHS.

At the Royal Naval Hospital, Yokohama, the wife of Staff Surgeon HOWARD TODD, Royal Naval of a son.

On 3rd inst., at "Norwood" Logan Road, Penang, the wife of F. C. HALLIFAX, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

On the 5th instant, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore, by the Reverend Archdeacon PERHAM, ARTHUR H. THORNTON, of Singapore, to AMY, third daughter of James Hussey, Esq., of London.

At the Caladonian Bank House, Rother, on the 10th June, by the Rev. Dr. Morgan, Minister of Rother, assisted by the Rev. W. F. Jenkins, M.A., Captain CHARLES EDDIE, of the Straits Steamship Company, Penang, to ALICE, youngest daughter of Robert Dick, Esq., Provost of Rother.

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check the Japanese encounter will be magnified into, and will have all the effect of a great victory. Chinese men and money will crowd in to support the movement and French and Russian sympathy with the insurgents will not be wanting. Every difficulty encountered by Japan in Formosa will be an obstacle, too, in the course of her negotiations at Peking, whether for the retrocession of Liaotung or for the settlement of the terms of the commercial treaty. Japan must fight now for her position, in Korea and in Formosa, and she will have to fight more resolutely and more vigorously than ever before. Her cause is a righteous one, and she should triumph in the end.

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TELEGRAMS.

THE REVOLT IN FORMOSA.

DESPERATE ENGAGEMENT IN NORTH FORMOSA.

TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER ON BOTH SIDES.

Amoy, July 18th. Noon.

News has been received here of a desperate engagement between the Japanese troops advancing from Tokoham towards Taiwanfoo and the insurgents.

It appears that the "Black Flags" and Hakkas attacked the Japanese near Tokoham at daybreak yesterday and a desperate engagement ensued, resulting in several hundreds being killed on both sides.

The insurgents fought very gamely, exhibiting the fearlessness of fanatics and the ferocity of wild beasts. They fell upon the Japanese in overwhelming numbers, and but for the superior skill and splendid discipline of the latter would have completely annihilated them.

The Japanese are retreating from Tokoham in north and westerly directions. The insurgents are advancing in great force on the Japanese entrenchments at Tekham, where another desperate engagement will probably take place in a day or two. They are also advancing along the road leading to the capital.

[Tokoham is a walled city in North Formosa about 60 miles S.W. of Taipei, the capital and seat of government, and Tekham is situated about 70 miles S.W. of the capital and about 45 miles almost due West of Tokoham.]

600 JAPANESE SLAUGHTERED.

JAPANESE OFFICERS ORDER "NO QUARTER."

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